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What a bitter thing it must be to Germany to think she spent forty years in building up a navy and then surrendered it without even one real battle.

A POLITICAL DAY

The people of the United States should think and study politics now as they have never done before, not the kind of politics that means wire-pulling to get political plums, but the variety that brings close study of national and international affairs.

The next session of Congress will perhaps bring forth more new legislation and more question of vital importance than has even the present session. Our national life in the last year has been centered toward one idea, the winning of the war. Difficulties that were secondary have been allowed to go without attention until they have gathered enough importance to be serious questions.

Now that the war is over, reconstruction is upon us. It behooves everyone to make a study of governmental affairs so that he may realize what is happening. An evil is more easily destroyed at its source than if it is allowed to exist for several years. It is the duty of every American citizen to watch the problems as they come up and study them so that mistakes will be fewer to regret after several years have passed.

With the wounded soldiers beginning to arrive here from overseas, we will begin to learn more what the war has really meant.

DELAYING THE TREATY

A speedy agreement on the terms of peace is to be hoped for. Whatever they may be, there is no doubt as to the Allies' ability to force their acceptance by Germany. The only limit to our demands lies in our own judgment and sense of decency.

It is difficult to see, however, how the formal signing and ratification of a peace treaty can be hurried.

The difficulty lies within Germany herself. How can the Allies know that the present government of Germany will not be repudiated, along with whatever treaties it may make?

To the present, the German revolution has been comparatively orderly. The history of revolutions, however, is that in too many cases the irresponsible forces of anarchy have had to run their course when the pendulum swung back from autocracy.

In 1871 the German forces which had conquered Paris looked on while blood flowed freely under the Commune. More recently, the Germans who pulled the strings that manipulated Russia's leaders have even aided the Bolshevik orgies. Will the forces of civilization stand at the Rhine and watch a similar reign in Berlin? Will Hindenburg march on his country's capital as MacMahon did on Paris in 1871?

On the other hand, critics are not lacking who insist that the German revolution has not gone far enough—that forces of autocracy may return to power.

It is hardly to be doubted that the government which signs the peace treaty for Germany must have proved itself to the satisfaction of the Allies. And it can not be a government that regards treaties as scraps of paper.

The stories of high prices in Washington seem more vivid when even a Cabinet member can't afford to live there.

THE NEW BOOKS

"The Theory of Incomes."
"The Theory of Earned and Unearned Incomes" is of special interest to Columbians because the author is Harry Gunnison Brown of the University faculty and the book is published by the Missouri Book Company of Columbia.

The author discusses the much-debated question of what is earned and what is unearned income. He reaches the conclusion that incomes are earned if their recipients give equivalent service to those from whom the income is ultimately drawn. He regards as unearned incomes those which their recipients enjoy without making a corresponding return.

Therefore he does not advocate the equalization of incomes because this would in many cases take away from the person who has rendered service the returns of his service and give them to some of those who have not rendered service of which they enjoy the income.

If any application in taxation is made of the principle of equalization

of incomes, he holds that the application must be limited to the taxation of unearned incomes.

He takes up the question of the single tax and discusses it from all angles.

(Missouri Book Company, Columbia, Mo.; cloth, 254 pages; \$2.)

"The Peace of Roaring River."

"The Peace of Roaring River" is the story of how a young American girl without any practical training was suddenly thrown upon her own resources by deaths in her family and forced to combat with enormous hardships and daily discouragements in a struggle for existence in New York.

After a year of struggling with all kinds of work in which her good looks instead of an asset proved only an attraction for repulsive employers, she became ill with typhoid fever. After leaving the hospital she sold her last treasure, her mother's diamond ring, and went to Canada in answer to a fake matrimonial advertisement.

On arriving there she found a hospitable kind-hearted people who were entirely new to her after New York with its hurrying, grasping, unmerciful crowds. Here she met Hugo Ennis, nursed him through a long and dangerous illness and at the same time fell in love with him.

It is a story in which the extremely cold weather of Ontario is only surpassed by the warmth of the people's hearts—a story where a girl at the lowest ebb of her resources and her vitality took the one chance in a hundred and found supreme happiness.

It is by George Van Schaik.
(Small, Maynard & Company, Boston; cloth, 312 pages; \$1.50)

CASUALTY LIST

A total of 3,921 is reported on the combined Army casualty list for yesterday and today. They are divided as follows: Killed in action, 841; died of wounds, 249; died of accident and other causes, 29; died of disease, 863; wounded severely, 313; wounded, degree undetermined, 700; wounded slightly, 491; missing in action, 313; died from airplane accident, 1; prisoners, 21.

Those from Missouri on the lists are:

Killed in Action.

Lieutenant Irvin Schmidt, St. Louis.
Mrs. Anna Schmidt, next of kin.
Lieutenant Philip L. Rohlfing, St. Louis.
Mrs. Emma Heidemann, next of kin.
Sergeant Charles Martens, St. Louis.
Mrs. Martha Martens, next of kin.
Corporal George R. Cochran, St. Louis.
Charles Cochran, next of kin.
Corporal Hesse Creek, Long Lane.
Mrs. Thelma B. Creek, next of kin.
Corporal Arthur H. Williams, Ferguson.
Mrs. T. W. Williams, next of kin.
Corporal Edward E. Walker, St. Louis.
Henry W. Walker, next of kin.
Corporal Charles F. Walker, Point of Rocks.
Lucy Walker, next of kin.
Private Ferdinand P. Glader, St. Louis.
Mrs. Marion Schrugla, next of kin.
Private Clarence E. Cowan, Hale. R. M. Cowan, next of kin.
Private Irva Eldon Jenkins, Holliday.
Mrs. N. A. Jenkins, next of kin.
Private Clarence F. Layher, Rockville.
Henry William Layher, next of kin.
Private William B. Prost, Percyville.
Mrs. Vincent Prost, next of kin.
Private Arthur Schiek, St. Louis.
Lena Schiek, next of kin.
Private Edward Zeiss, St. Louis.
Frank Zeiss, next of kin.
Private John G. Watson, Mt. Wash-

ington. Mrs. Anna G. Watson, next of kin.
Private Robert Adkinson, Galatin. Mrs. Emma F. Adkinson, next of kin.
Private Peter Paul Andrews, St. Louis.
Mrs. Mary Long, next of kin.
Private John C. Boyer, St. Louis. Mrs. Kate Rose, next of kin.
Private Charles J. Brashers, White Oak. Mrs. Mattie Brashers, next of kin.
Private Rhodes Clay, Jr., St. Louis.
Mrs. Annie Clay, next of kin.
Private William A. Baker, Mine La Motte.
Henry T. Baker, next of kin.
Private David Laycob, St. Louis. Jake Laycob, next of kin.
Private James H. Sparks, Avalon. J. E. Sparks, next of kin.
Private William F. Millar, Mont Rose.
Franklin K. Millar, next of kin.

Died of Wounds.

Corporal Allen O. Sullivan, Cardwell.
Mrs. Josie Darden, next of kin.
Private Mont. O. Lindsay, Puxico.
Samuel Lindsay, next of kin.
Private Jesse Franklin, Macon. O. E. Finney, next of kin.
Private William T. Harness, St. Louis.
Mrs. Julia Harness, next of kin.
Private James Millard Coleman, Mountain View.
Mrs. Lyetta Robinson, next of kin.
Private Richard Rode, Herman. Julius Rode, next of kin.
Died of Accident and Other Causes.
Private Elmer B. Bruce, Joplin. Mrs. Billy Carson, next of kin.

Died of Disease.

Master Signal Electrician Tony Bruns, St. Louis.
Casper Bruns, next of kin.
Sergeant William H. Gray, Joplin.
Mrs. Rose Anna Gray, next of kin.
Corporal John H. Camp, Strafford.
William P. Camp, next of kin.
Corporal Floyd C. Orr, Cowgill. James W. Orr, next of kin.
Wagoner Alvin Shipley, Reger. James Shipley, next of kin.
Private James T. Cheatham, Garland.
J. T. Cheatham, next of kin.
Private Edgar Elliott, Prior. Mrs. Susie Elliott, next of kin.
Private William E. Bell, Osceola. Mrs. Eleanor Bell, next of kin.
Private Ernest L. Berry, Gault. Lewis O. Berry, next of kin.
Private Tony Dfiro, St. Louis. Mrs. Anna Goeritz, next of kin.
Private Harry G. Elits, St. Louis. Elit H. Elits, next of kin.
Private Joe Hesse, Cedar City. Christ Hesse, next of kin.
Private Clyde R. King, Nevada. John E. King, next of kin.
Private Milton B. McMonigle, Blue Eyes. Jos. F. McMonigle, next of kin.
Private Edward J. Schlattman, Perryville. Clem Schlattman, next of kin.
Private Howard L. Sherrick, Fulton. James Sherrick, next of kin.
Private Frank Lee, Hannibal. Mrs. Jesse Holmes, next of kin.
Private William H. Noonan, St. Louis.
Mrs. Elizabeth Noonan, next of kin.
Private James F. Vowell, Hornersville. James Vowell, next of kin.
Private William O. Woodford, Arno.
Mrs. Lizzie Dewesse, next of kin.
Private Arthur R. Boles, St. Louis.
Mrs. Alma R. Miller, next of kin.
Private Benjamin H. Burris, Forestell.
Mrs. Palina Hell, next of kin.
Private Loyd E. Caldwell, Wyaconda.
Horace L. Caldwell, next of kin.
Private Noah M. Hudson, Hallesville.
Mrs. Mollie Hudson, next of kin.
Private Bertram F. Phillips, St. Louis.
Mrs. Mathilda Phillips, next of kin.
Private Thomas A. Gallagher, St. Louis.
Mrs. Eliza Gallagher, next of kin.
Private George R. King, Mt. Moriah.
Lemuel Milton, next of kin.
Private Charles Morton, Garfield. Mrs. Lala Morton, next of kin.
Obediah File, next of kin.
Private Harley M. Trentham, Hurri-

case, William Trentham, next of kin.
Private Allen Pierce, Birchtree. Mrs. Nancy E. Perse, next of kin.
Private John F. Pingree, Nashville.
Frank E. Pingree, next of kin.
Private David A. Coon, Amos. John G. Coon, next of kin.
Private Arthur S. Dugger, Aurora.
Mrs. Vesta Dugger, next of kin.
Private Lemuel J. File, Walnut Grove.
Private Harry Johnson, Huntington.
Mrs. Lucy D. Johnson, next of kin.
Private Ralph H. Lemon, Houston.
John H. Lemon, next of kin.
Private Louis E. Stille, Beaufort. William Stille, next of kin.
Private Bert Walters, Holden. Mrs. Letha Walters, next of kin.
Private Elmer H. Dehart, Allendale.
Mamilton G. Dehart, next of kin.
Private Orin Gallaway, Stover. Odd Stockley, next of kin.
Private Virgil L. Baker, Long Lane.
Sam F. Baker, next of kin.
Private Worley Banks, Dalton. Mrs. Lu Banks, next of kin.
Private Henry J. Berner, Krakow.
John H. Berner, next of kin.
Private Floyd W. Crawford, McCredie.
Robert G. Crawford, next of kin.
Private Albert L. Glidewell, Springfield.
Mrs. Flora Glidewell, next of kin.
Private Guy R. Patterson, Ellington.
Miss Ethel Phelps, next of kin.
Private Edgar J. Brown, Higginsville.
Mrs. Henrietta Brown, next of kin.
Private Lewis T. Ford, Shadle Side.
Mrs. Sallie Mary Ford, next of kin.
Private George E. Hicks, Valley Park.
Mrs. Sarah E. Hicks, next of kin.
Private John W. Hicks, Seymour. Mrs. Mamie Denney, next of kin.
Private Zeek Hurst, Bertha. Samuel Hurst, next of kin.
Private George Estil Taylor, Boonville.
Mrs. Clara B. Taylor, next of kin.
Private Ernest Walker, Fayette. Mrs. Mollie Walker, next of kin.
Private Charles H. Wood, Hendrickson.
Elish G. Wood, next of kin.
Private Gustav F. Scheer, New Haven.
Henry Scheer, next of kin.

Missing in Action.

Private Joseph H. Cudworth, St. Louis.
Albert C. Cudworth, next of kin.

Real Estate Transfers.

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The Slacker March.

(Dedicated to the S. A. T. C.)
Editor of the Missouriian:

What are you goin' to do to help the Kaiser?
What are you going to do to help his boys?
He has strayed away from home, In a foreign clime to roam.
Why the least that you can do Would be to give 'em a kick or two.
If you want to be a sympathetic Geezer;
The kind that always sheds a lot of brine;
You should worry on the troubles of the Kaiser.
He worried an awful lot on yours and mine.

What are you goin' to do to help the Germans?
What are you goin' to do to save the Rhine.
They have told us here of late That they're horrified to hate;
That human brotherhood is really very near divine.
That they've had a sudden changing of their nature,
That they've made a vow to worship at our shrine,
That they'd like a little food to fill their tummies—
So why should we ever think of yours and mine.

Why should you talk so much about the Belgians,
Why should you think at all about the French.
If we only feed the Hun,
So they'll get back in the Sun,
They themselves will tend to all That really must be done.
So we spend our time a thinking of the Germans,
We'll help them fix their country so it's right.
They're the only ones that need our help in trouble,
So we'll back them up again with all our might.

Notice to Merchants.

In view of the fact that Thursday is Thanksgiving Day, the one-delivery-a-day rule for merchants is hereby annulled insofar as deliveries made on Wednesday, Nov. 27, are concerned. Orders taken Wednesday may be delivered that day.
FRANK B. ROLLINS,
County Food Administrator.

BIG HOTEL FOR SHIP MEN

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By United Press.
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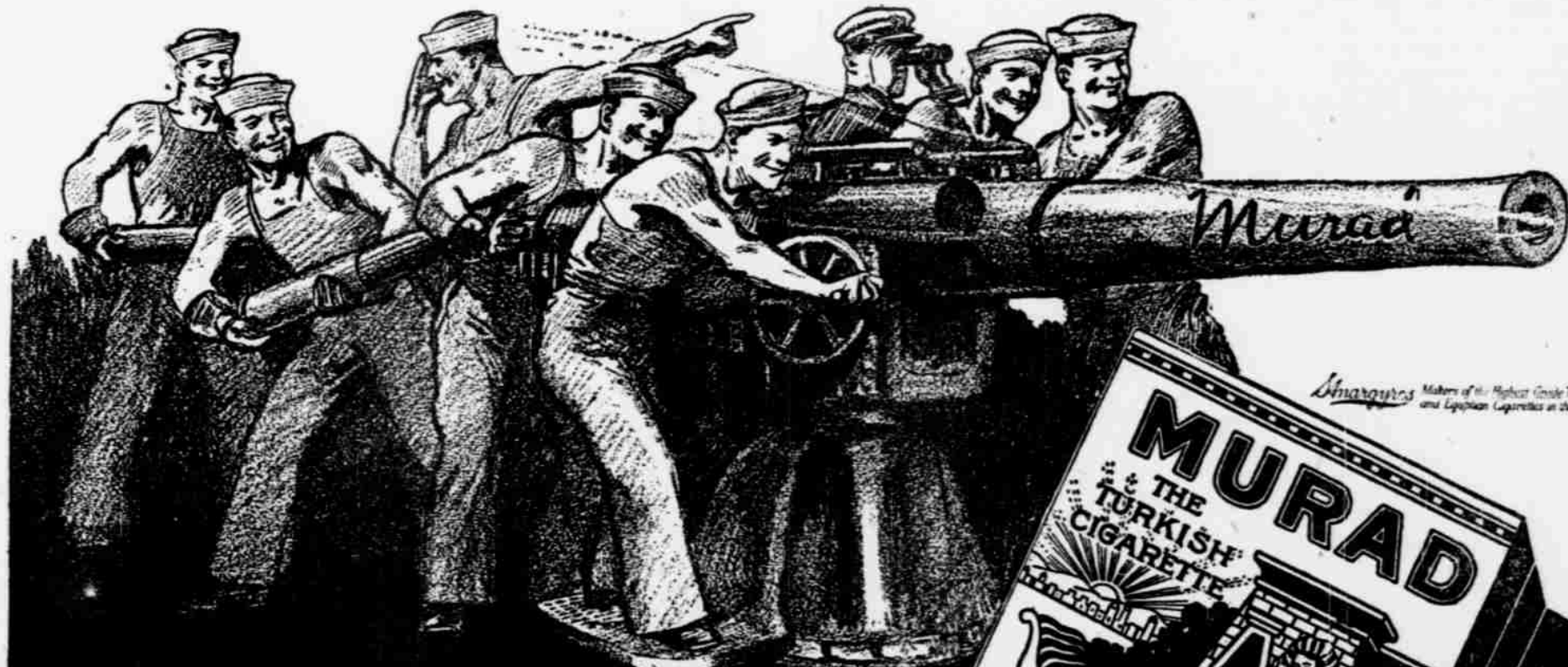
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